

BAYVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL



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Administration

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Absences from School

As we enter the final month of the 2021-2022 school year, we are proud of how much our students have achieved through a difficult and ever changing year. We certainly anticipate they take a much needed break in the summer months.

We know that during this time of year families can be eager to book a trip or attend family events that will take students out of school, however the regular school calendar is completed on June 29th, 2022. If students are absent due to parent approved circumstances students will **not** be able to become online students. Families are responsible for the continuity of learning and students are expected to complete all remaining course work asynchronously and submit to their teachers by communicated/shared deadlines. Students must be able to complete the regular program of study.

If a family wishes to withdraw a student(s) for an extended absence (i.e. more than 3 days), their child must:

- 1) collect paperwork from the main office in advance (Extraordinary Absence Form);
- 2) have each teacher complete and sign it;
- 3) have a parent/guardian review and sign it;
- 4) submit it to their alpha Vice-Principal for review and consultation (as required).

Review of Board Dress Code Policy and Procedure

The school board is currently reviewing and updating the Board Student Dress Code policy and procedure and seeking both parent, student and staff voice.

Please use this [link](#) to review and provide input.

Student Trustee Policy Review

The York Region District School Board regularly engages in reviewing its policies. Currently, the Board of Trustees has identified a need to review Policy #221 Student Trustees. As part of the review process The YRDSB consults extensively with students, staff and community members.

We encourage you to review this [slide deck](#) to build some context around our student trustee election process and fill out the [survey](#) to provide your feedback. You may also wish to go to our [Board's Policy review page](#) for more information.

We thank you for your participation and your voice in ensuring our policies are reflective of our community of learners. Participation in the survey is completely voluntary, anonymous, and confidential. Your input will be considered and used to help inform revisions to the policy.

Links to Programs and Information Sessions

[Summer School](#) Registration is open for YRDSB student through [My Pathway Planner](#). Summer School Registration [Tip Sheet](#) for Students.

York Regional Police Community Safety Village [Camps](#) 2022

[Career in Trades](#) Engagement Night

Exploring the College Experience: [A Parent's Guide to Seneca](#)

Engagement Matters – Parent, Family and Community Engagement Advisory Committee [Newsletter](#)

[What Families want to know about de-streaming resource](#)

[Mental Health Newsletter for Families and caregivers – May 2022](#)

[Gutsy Walk](#) is a great opportunity to earn volunteer hours while supporting an amazing cause.

Find your bright future with YJC ([Youth Job Connection](#))

May 13th, 2022 Guidance Message

Here is a [link](#) to all the Guidance Messages.

Guidance on Instagram: [@bss.guidance](#) / Gr12 Guidance Google Classroom [qgy6heq](#)

Guidance Counsellor	Student <u>Last</u> Name	Email
Ms. Chen	Guidance Secretary	Iris.chen@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Garito	A to F	maureen.garito@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Jarrett	G to Lim	keri.jarrett@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Shah	Lin to St	Sheila.shah@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Won	Su to Z	joon.won@yrdsb.ca

Guidance Appointment for the week of May 23-27

Next week Guidance has blocked appointments due to scheduling for next school year. If you need support, please drop into guidance before and after school and during lunch. There are no timetable changes for next school year.

Summer School

Registration is open and courses are filling up. Students can register using My Pathway Planner. There are two platforms: online learning (asynchronous) and in-person learning. They have different start dates and end dates. **Guidance does not need the sign off form.** If you filled out the Google Form during Course Selection you still **NEED** to register for summer school. Here is the [link](#) to information and registration. A separate email was sent several weeks ago regarding summer coop. See attachment for instructions on how to register. Students DO NOT need to submit the sign off sheet to guidance.

If you are registering for TDSB eLearning summer school, be sure to read the instructions carefully, as you need to speak to a Guidance Counsellor.

Youth Job Connection

Youth Job Connection Summer Program and Job Skills would like to assist students looking for summer positions or part-time employment. See flyer attached.

Volunteer / Community Involvement Info

York Region Gutsy Walk is looking for volunteers for Sunday June 5th. See flyer attached.

Guidance is **ONLY** collecting **up to 40 hours**. Please refer to our [website](#) for the YRDSB form and what is eligible and ineligible for this school year. When you complete your hours, email a **SCANNED** copy to your alpha counsellor. Students need prior approval from your alpha counsellor. Make sure to include in the name of the organization, the supervisor name and phone number in your email.

Here are websites you can use to find volunteer opportunities: www.volunteermatch.org and www.neighbourhoodnetwork.org

Scholarships

ScholarTree.ca has made a concerted effort to add as many scholarships to their platform as May is the end of peak scholarship season so there are a lot of awards with upcoming deadlines. They currently have **67 scholarships** that equate to **427 awards** and a total of **\$1,130,500** application period ending this month. Students can sort their scholarship list (<https://scholartree.ca/scholarships>) by the deadline by using the sort by option at the top of the page. A reminder of a scholarship available for students who are deaf or hard of hearing.

- **Canadian Hearing Services National Scholarship** - Last year they gave away over 30 awards

Creative Arts Festival

Youth Day Global is hosting a Creative Arts Festival Sunday July 24th. Students can either participate or volunteer. Students can also audition and be part of the festival. There will be music, dance, art, photography, fashion, and film talent. To learn more go to www.youthdayglobal.com.

OUAC and OCAS Upload for Potential Graduates

Semester 2 midterm marks have been shared with OCAS and OUAC. It is important to review your courses and marks. If you notice an error, please book an appointment with your guidance counsellor. If you are currently taking a Private School course(s) or a course outside of YRDSB **it is up to that school to submit your midterm/final mark**. Once the Private School course is complete, the school must email the official report card to iris.chen@yrdsb.ca. Students that have received Ontario University offers, the deadline to accept is **June 1st**.

Transcripts ****printed ONCE per week (Fridays)****

Transcripts are an official record of Ontario secondary school credit courses that you have completed. Transcripts do not show courses you are currently enrolled in. Transcripts should only be requested for post-secondary education institutions (outside of Ontario), Canadian citizenship and for scholarships. **If you need to request a transcript, please email your guidance counsellor**. Transcripts will be printed only once per week, every Friday. Please plan your requests accordingly as we will not be printing them on various days.

Grade Google Classrooms

Students, looking for info on announcements, clubs, sports and school life? Bayview's Student Council (StuCo) has grade google classrooms, Instagram [@bayviewstuco](https://www.instagram.com/bayviewstuco) and website www.bayviewstuco.com.

Here are the links to join the google classrooms:

- BSS Class of 2022: **grxuarx**
- BSS Class of 2023: **bbdpmf**
- BSS Class of 2024: **4e3ufda**
- BSS Class of 2025: **3676iru**

SHSM Google Classrooms

Here are the links to join the google classrooms:

- Pre-SHSM: **iffmhqz**
- Grade 11 SHSM: **t5de63s**
- Grade 12 SHSM: **thno56q**

Attendance

As a friendly reminder, a student's attendance is linked to their learning model e.g., if a student is scheduled as an in-person learner, but appears online, they will be marked absent. Learning model changes take at least a full school day to take effect. We are not recommending switching back and forth between learning models at this time i.e., if a student has switched once already this semester, please remain in this learning model moving forward.

Student Drop-Off/Pick-Up

Please be reminded that all students are to be dropped off and picked up at the side of the school (along Cassata Avenue - see map below). Please do not drop off/pick up your child at the main entrance to the school (along Bayview Avenue) as this is a bus lane. If you are coming from Bayview Avenue, please drive past the main entrance and drop your child off (or pick them up) at the side of the school (along Cassata Avenue). Also, as our parking spaces are limited, please do not park in a parking spot to drop off/pick up your child. Thank you for your cooperation!



To ensure the safety of our staff, students and families, you **MUST** follow the direction of signage and/or staff directing traffic. Given winter weather conditions and the large piles of snow on property, traffic safety is essential.

- Do not speed through the parking lot
- Do not overtake cars in front of you
- Do not stop at the front of the school

Thank you for contributing to the safety of our community.

COVID Screening

Continue to refer to the [COVID-19 school and child care screening tool](#) in order to determine whether your child can attend school in person.

What do I do if my child needs to self-isolate?

If your child needs to self-isolate, please send an email to shokofeh.amini@yrdsb.ca and indicate:

- Student's full name
- Student number
- Return to school date
- If you wish to have your child be a temporarily remote learner during their isolation period.

Please have your child reach out to their teachers to request their Google Meet codes if they wish to learn remotely while they are absent. Your child is not permitted to return to in-person learning prior to their return to school date (as indicated in your email).